

## **ITD/ACEC IDAHO MATERIALS LIAISON COMMITTEE**

### **MINUTES OF MEETING**

**June 8, 2006**

- Procedure for electronic Phase Reports was discussed.
- The ITD Project Development Conference will be held on April 4-5, 2007.
- Minutes of the March 8, 2006 Structural / Geotechnical Subcommittee meeting were reviewed. A meeting should be held soon with geotechnical consultants to discuss concerns regarding pile-driving specs, DRIVEN vs. WAVE equation, pile tips or no tips, possible strength loss with vibratory hammer, etc.
- The prices on the current Life Cycle Cost Analysis spreadsheet are outdated and require updating. More consideration should be given to concrete paving. Asphalt prices are continuing to increase. Anyone needing a copy of the spreadsheet should contact Paul Wasser. The spreadsheet is also available on the ITD Materials site on the internet.
- Variations in roadway and retaining wall drawings were discussed and establishing a checklist or minimum uniform requirements to establish consistency and reduce comments was suggested. Geotechnical consultants should be reviewing final designs. Federal guidelines (FHWA) have such a checklist. A meeting with geotechnical consultants to discuss this issue will be organized.
- It was suggested that ACEC contact the Director regarding final review of plans by subconsultants.
- An example of standard language for estimating basis was distributed and discussed. Concerns were voiced regarding the term "estimating basis." It was suggested that the payment basis be changed to one of volume rather than weight.
- The 2006 Interim LRFD has substantial changes to be aware of. The code applies to projects beginning currently.
- The meeting adjourned at 1:20 P.M.